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In re Patent Application of

Atty Dkt. 117-320

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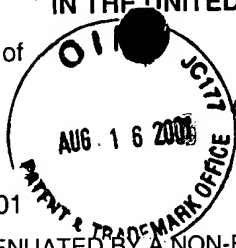
CHATFIELD

Serial No. 09/646,925

Filed: January 31, 2001

Title: BACTERIA ATTENUATED BY A NON-REVERTING MUTATION IN EACH OF THE AROC, OMPF AND OMPC GENES, USEFUL AS VACCINES

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC 20231



Group Art Unit:

Examiner:

Date: August 16, 2001

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Sir:

RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION TO COMPLY

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

Fees are attached as calculated below:

Total effective claims after amendment	0	minus highest number			
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					\$ 0.00

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Sir:

This is in response to the Notification to Comply
dated June 20, 2001, in the above. Kindly amend this
application as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Substitute the Sequence Listing submitted herewith for
that originally filed.

REMARKS

Favorable consideration of this application and entry
of the foregoing amendment are respectfully requested.

The specification has been amended to include the Sequence Listing submitted herewith on separate sheets. Entry of the Sequence Listing does not raise the issue of new matter as the sequence information contained therein is presented in the application as originally filed. The computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing submitted herewith is believed to be the same as the attached paper copy of that Listing.

An early and favorable Action on the merits is requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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